

January 17, 1940.

Mr. Adam Geiger,
Chase National Bank,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Geiger:

When my wife and I arrived in St. Louis, we were welcomed by reporters who made quite a bit of unnecessary ado about our witnessing the burning of the Graf Spee. I am enclosing a copy of the pictures which we brought home and which were just published. It was my recollection that you did not obtain a set from the ship's photographer and I thought perhaps you might want them, being so close to the scene of activity at the time.

The moving pictures of our trip which we took all turned out perfectly and have been greatly admired by the people we have shown them to. It is a typical example of beginners' luck as we know nothing about photography.

If you are ever in St. Louis, we want you to come to see them and incidentally the newlyweds which you had the pleasure of teasing.

On the boat you remember that I mentioned that I was trying to acquire the Missouri numismatics items in the Estate of Colonel Green and you intimated that you knew Milbank, Tweed and Hope very well. They are in charge of the matter and were kind enough to send me a list of the items which can be disposed of, asking me what I would be willing to pay for them. That list did not give the condition of the various pieces and it is difficult for me to know the price to offer in view of that fact. I would appreciate it very much if you would tell them how interested I am in the listed items or find out what price they would consider satisfactory. As indicated, it is hard for me to make an offer because I have not seen the items. If they could set a reasonable figure, it would facilitate matters to a great extent. As you know, Colonel Green paid tremendous prices for anything he particularly wanted, and if there are any excessively rare notes in the list which they sent me, their figure can be arrived at without them. I have written you before writing them direct and on hearing from you I will act according to your suggestions.

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Mr. Adam Geiger

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January 17, 1940.

My wife joins me in sending you our very best greetings and we hope that you have recovered the thing no numismatic item can buy -- health.

Hoping to drink mate with you soon out of the same bombilla, I am

Sincerely yours,

EPN:JR
Enclosure

The Chase National Bank

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

New York January 24, 1940.

IN REPLYING PLEASE REFER TO

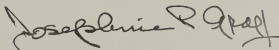
Mr. Eric P. Newman,
Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatsmens Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter addressed to Mr. Geiger which reached him several days ago.

Mr. Geiger is at present away from the office but before he left he turned your letter over to Milbank Tweed & Hope for their suggestions. So soon as we have a reply from our counsel Mr. Geiger will be glad to send it along to you, together with any comments he personally may have.

Yours very truly,


Secretary, Adam K. Geiger

February 1, 1940.

Messrs. Milbank, Tweed & Hope,
15 Broad Street,
New York, N. Y.

Re: Estate of E. M. R. Green

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your courtesy in preparing and sending to me a partial list of the Missouri items in the numismatic collection of Colonel Green, with your letter of December 27, 1939. I happened to be in South America at the time and my office notified you of my absence.

In your letter you asked me to make an offer on the listed items. I would have been glad to do so if I had known their condition. I didn't want you to go to that additional trouble if it could be avoided, so I wrote to Mr. Adam Geiger of the Chase National Bank, with whom I returned from Argentina, and asked him if he would speak with you about them. I am informed that he has contacted you.

I thought that perhaps the person who set the values for inventory or estate or inheritance tax purposes had his work sheets available and we could use either those values or adjust them to normal if they were "liquidation" prices. Whatever you can suggest to arrive at a fair value would almost surely meet with my approval.

Although I am desirous of acquiring all the items you listed, I am especially interested in the broken bills, etc. (the signed broken bank bills being listed on three pages and the unsigned ones on one page), and thought that you might arrive at one price for those and another price for the redeemable United States items.

I look forward to hearing from you and will cooperate with you in any manner you suggest.

Yours very truly,

EPN:JB

MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
CABLE ADDRESS
MILBANK
TWEED

February 8, 1940.

Estate E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir:

We have yours of the 1st instant, and Mr. Geiger has mentioned the subject to us. We will endeavor to investigate further the condition of the items which you mention, and will also take up the contents of your letter with our client.

Very truly yours,

Milbank, Tweed & Hope

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MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WEINWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

February 28, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Mr. Newman:

Further referring to yours of the
1st instant, our client advises that it is willing
to sell the Missouri items mentioned in the list
which we sent you, for the sum of \$1,200.

Very truly yours,



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March 5, 1940

Messrs. Milbank, Tweed and Hope,
15 Broad Street,
New York City, N. Y.

Attention: Mr. Jacques
Re: Estate of E. H. R. Green

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of February 28, 1940 setting a price of \$1200 for the Missouri items listed on the schedules you sent me. I feel that I can accept your offer if the condition of the items averages as high as I presume they are.

I would like for your clients to do me a favor in connection with a few Missouri items of small value which I originally did not ask for. Could they include in the lot being sold to me any Civil War or early private tokens or store cards from Missouri and also any St. Louis Omnibus Company notes. The St. Louis Omnibus Company notes are dated in New York City and payable in Belleview, Iowa (a scheme to attempt to avoid the Missouri law) so that they might be among New York or Iowa notes. Would you also see if there are not two different \$100 proofs of the Exchange Bank of St. Louis as one of that denomination is missing from the set you listed.

Let me have your suggestions as to closing this transaction. I can send my personal check or a cashier's check payable to whomever you specify, so that you could send the items to me. I would like it understood that if the better grade items are not, as an average, in fine condition, I should be permitted to withdraw. I am sure that you understand my concern over their condition because no mention of the condition of the items has ever been made to me. The address to which the items should be sent is 6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

Thank you for your courtesies to me.

Very truly yours,

EPN:JB

March 18, 1940

Messrs. Milbank, Tweed & Hope,
Attorneys at Law,
15 Broad Street,
New York City.

Re: Estate of E. N. R. Green

Gentlemen:

I have not heard from you with reference to my reply of March 5th to your letter of February 28th concerning certain Missouri numismatic items of Colonel Green. I merely wish to ascertain whether you received the letter, as I fully realize the necessary delays in completing this transaction.

Very truly yours,

EPN:JB

MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
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CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

March 20, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Newman:

Yours of the 18th received, and we were just about to write you regarding yours of the 5th, since only yesterday we heard from the Estate to which we had referred your earlier letter.

We have had the Estate check up on the various items you mention and enclosed herewith is a list showing the condition of the various items.

You mention in your letter a few Missouri items of small value and also question whether there are two different \$100 proofs of the Exchange Bank of St. Louis. The Estate finds nothing on further investigation which can be included in the list already sent you.

Would you let us know if in view of the statements on the enclosed list you are prepared to close the matter unconditionally? If so please send us your cashier's check for \$1,200 and we will ship the items to you in accordance with your instructions.

Very truly yours,

George W. Murray

United States Money Issued by Banks in
St. Louis or Payable in Missouri and held
by Estate of E. H. R. Green

Quantity	Denomination	Issued by	Bill Number	Series
1	\$1.	Bates County National Bank Butler, Missouri	E302037	dated 7/15/1871
1	\$1.	Moniteau Natl. Bank California, Missouri	C74417	dated 10/1/1870
1	\$1.	Second Natl. Bank St. Louis, Missouri. <i>Fair</i>	B680116	dated 1/2/1865
1	\$1.	National Bank of the State of Missouri St. Louis, Missouri.	B 253775	dated 11/1/1866
1	\$1.	Greene County Natl. Bank Springfield, Missouri	C688544	dated 12/3/1863
1	\$1.	First Natl. Bank Warrensburg, Missouri <i>Fair</i>	C646732	dated 8/15/1871
1	\$2.	Bates County Natl. Bank Butler, Missouri	D397506	dated 7/15/1871
1	\$2.	Moniteau National Bank California, Missouri.	C74444	dated 10/1/1870
1	\$2.	First Natl. Bank St. Louis, Missouri	569500	dated 1/2/1865
1	\$5.	Central National Bank Boonville, Missouri <i>Good</i>	H14314	dated 11/1/1865
1	\$5.	First Natl. Bank Hannibal, Missouri <i>Good</i>	E559674	dated 10/2/1865
1	\$5.	First Natl. Bank Paris, Missouri <i>Good</i>	N81291	dated 4/15/1871
4	\$5.	U.S. Treasury payable by Asst. Treas. U.S. at St. Louis, Mo. <i>3 Fine 1 Good</i>	14425 36428 43970 65576	dated 8/10/1861
12	\$5.	National Bank of Commerce St. Louis, Mo. <i>Unc.</i>	U457494/497U U210975/982U	1882
1	\$5.	National Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Missouri. <i>Fair</i>	D122489	dated 10/2/1865
1	\$10.	Commercial Natl. Bank Kansas City, Missouri. <i>Fair</i>	A879399	dated 6/15/1872
1	\$10.	Central Natl. Bank Boonville, Missouri <i>Fair</i>	A666679	1875
1	\$10.	Merchants National Bank St. Louis, Missouri. <i>Fair</i>	E963016	1875
1	\$10.	St. Louis Natl. Bank St. Louis, Missouri. <i>Very Fine</i>	E257391	1875
1	\$10.	U.S. Treasury payable by Asst. Treas. U.S. at St. Louis, Mo. <i>Torn made</i>	31133	dated 8/10/1861

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Issued by</u>	<u>Bill number</u>	<u>Series</u>
1	✓ \$20.	Merchants Natl. Bank Kansas City, Mo.	D835646	1875
1	✓ \$20.	Fourth Natl. Bank St. Louis, Mo.	E138416	1875
1	✓ \$20.	Valley Natl. Bank St. Louis, Missouri	A491064	dated 8/10/1871

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United States Money Issued and Used in
State of Missouri also held by Estate
of E. H. R. Green

P420						
#16	✓	\$10 - Series of 1902	Natl. Bank of Commerce	St. Louis, Mo.		} good
	✓	\$10 - " " 1882	" " " " " "	" " " "		
	✓	\$10 - " " 1902	First N/B	Milan, Mo.		
P420	✓	(- " " 1882	Aetna N/B	Kansas City, Mo.	)	}
#27	✓	(#A330250 - \$50 on face	\$100 - on back		)	
P404	✓	\$5. Series of 1882	Marshall N/B	Unionville, Mo.	#M603322	
#27/32						
P425	✓	Three bills at \$5. in Series of 1918	Federal Reserve Bank,	Kansas City, Mo.	(Natl. Currency)	
#40						
P425	✓	(	Federal Reserve Bank, St. Louis Mo			} Very Fine
#23/25		(	Series of 1918 in denom. of \$1. \$2. \$5. & \$50.	(Note \$50. bill only issued by St. Louis)		
P432	✓	(	Series of 1914 in denom. of \$10. \$20. \$100.			
#2/6						
P425						
#31/33			Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Mo.			}
P430						
#21/23			Series of 1914 - \$3. \$10. \$20 Denominations			
P432						
#13/20			Series of 1915 - \$5. \$10. \$20. Denominations			
			Series of 1918 - \$1. \$2. \$5. Denominations			

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 Unsigned
 Broken Bank Bills
 State of Missouri
held by Estate of E.H.R. Green

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<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Issued by</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Series</u>
5	\$1.	Missouri Defence Bd. State of Missouri.	-	#18B Ser. A.
7	\$1.	do.	-	#18. Ser. B.
5	\$1.	do.	-	#18B. Ser. C.
9	\$3.	do.	4	17A
2	\$4.	do.	-	16A Ser. A.
5	\$4.	do.	-	16A Ser. B
4	\$4.50	do.	-	15A Ser. A.
1	\$20.	do.	-	Ser. A.
5	\$20.	do.	-	#21. Ser. B.
1	\$20.	do.	-	#21. Ser. C.
2	\$20.	do.	-	#21. Ser. D.
7	\$50.	do.	-	#20. Ser. A
3	\$50.	do.	-	#20. Ser. B
3	\$100.	do.	-	#19. Ser. A.
3	\$100.	do.	-	#19. Ser. B.
1	.50	Post Office, St. Louis, Mo.	-	
1	.75	do.	-	
1	.25	do.	-	
1	.12 1/2	do.	-	
5	\$4.50	Missouri Defence Bond State of Missouri		Ser. B.

Broken Bank Bills
Issued by bank in State of
Missouri
held by Estate of E.H.E. Green

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<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Issued by</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Date of Series</u>
1 ✓	\$1.	Bank of Missouri, St. Louis, Missouri	4406	A 11/3/1818
1 ✓	\$1.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Missouri	5534	A 8/10/1820
4 ✓	\$1.	State of Missouri, Jefferson City, Mo.	18875 50116 18866 61395	1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$1.	do.	64142	#13 1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$1.	do.	11942	#13A 1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$1.	do.	11874	#13B 1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$1.	do.	11950	#13C 1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$1.	do.	15171	#13D 1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$1.	Union Military Bond Issued by State of Mo. payable at Jefferson City, Mo.	941	5/15/1865
1 ✓	\$2.	Missouri Exchange Bank St. Louis, Mo.	497	A 10/1/1819
1 ✓	\$2	City Treasury Warrant St. Louis, Mo.	25346	6/1/1861
6 ✓	\$2.	State of Missouri Jefferson City, Mo.	222 47047 48271 240 12865 353	1/1/1864
1 ✓	\$3.	Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	4092	3/18/1817
1 ✓	\$3.	Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	54	3/18/1817
1 ✓	\$3.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	2997	9/6/1817
1 ✓	\$3.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	644	10/1/1818
1 ✓	\$3.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	5262	4/1/1820
2 ✓	\$3.	State of Missouri payable at Jefferson City, Mo.	53646 40733	1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$3.	do.	46786	1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$4.	State of Missouri Defense Bond payable 3 years after date	218662	6/21/1866

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Issued by</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Date or Issue</u>
1 ✓	\$5.	Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	1210	4/18/1817
2 ✓	\$5.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	282 611	6/3/1817
1 ✓	\$5.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	477	10/1/1818
1 ✓	\$5.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	2235	4/1/1820
1 ✓	\$5.	Bank of the United States St. Louis, Mo.	11346	5/2/1829
1 ✓	\$5.	Southern Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	800	6/20/1839
1 ✓	\$5.	Merchants Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	863	10/1/1839
8 ✓	\$5.	State of Missouri payable at St. Louis, Mo.	(34851 (2917 (35468 (35010 (35017 (35482 (1296 (9439	1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$10.	Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	773	3/18/1817
1 ✓	\$10.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	6	1/181
1 ✓	\$10.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	3221	4/1/1820
1 ✓	\$10.	State of Missouri payable at St. Louis, Mo.	617	10/1/1821
2 ✓	\$10.	Merchants Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	7001 380	10/1/1839
3 ✓	\$10.	State of Missouri payable at Jefferson City, Mo.	(2607 (20273 (4422 (808 (205	1/1/1862
1 ✓	\$20.	Bank of St. Louis St. Louis, Mo.	56	3/18/1817
1 ✓	\$20.	Bank of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	70	/7/1818
1 ✓	\$20.	Bank of the State of Missouri Springfield, Mo.	247	8/1/1831
1 ✓	\$20.	Bank of the State of Missouri Fayette	1186	1/ /1872

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<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Issued by</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Date or Series</u>
7 (18)	\$20.	State of Missouri payable at St. Louis, Mo.	(832 (14951 (29473 (39318 (14480 (19930 (29343	1/1/1862
2	\$50.	Bank of the State of Missouri St. Louis, Mo.	223 558	1/1/1847 11/1/1848

Six Specimen Bank Bills of the Exchange Bank of St. Louis in the following denominations \$5. (2 at \$10) \$20. \$50. \$100

1	\$100.	Farmers Bank of Missouri Lexington, Mo.
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The above bill is a specimen as it is unsigned.

A sheet of twelve coupons of the St. Louis Railroad Co.
no amounts or dates mentioned.

1	\$50.	Missouri Defense Bond payable at St. Louis, Mo.	126	4/2/1862
1	\$100.	do.	368	4/2/1862

March 23, 1940

Messrs. Milbank, Tweed & Hope,
15 Broad Street,
New York, N. Y.

Attention Mr. Jacques

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of March 20, 1940.

There is enclosed herewith a cashier's check of the Boatmen's National Bank of St. Louis, payable to your order, drawn on the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Company of New York, in the sum of \$1200.00. This is in full payment for the Missouri items in the numismatic collection of Colonel Green, set forth in the schedule previously sent to me. Please send the items to me at 6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

I thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Although one of the best items in the collection is torn and mended and I cannot be sure of the condition of many of the others, I feel that it will give me a great deal of pleasure to have this collection.

Yours very truly,

EPN:JD
Enclosure

MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
CABLE ADDRESS
MILBANK
TWEED

March 26, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Sir:

We acknowledge with thanks yours of the 23rd instant and enclosure. We have transmitted the check to the administrators and they expect in due course to ship the items to you at the address you mention.

We trust you will get much pleasure out of this collection.

Very truly yours,

Milbank Tweed & Hope

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MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

March 28, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Newman:

The Chase Bank is shipping the bills and paper money to you today. We are glad to say that on a further recheck we have found the additional \$100 proof of the Exchange Bank of St. Louis, and in view of the correspondence regarding this item we are sending it along with the rest, and also one or two additional broken bank bills which were turned up.

Very truly yours,

Milbank, Tweed & Hope

THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK NO.
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
11 BROAD STREET

NEW YORK,

March 28, 1940.

Mr. Eric P. Newman,
6450 Cecil Avenue,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Newman:

In accordance with instructions received from the Estate of E.H.R. Green, we are sending to you under separate registered insured cover, the Missouri items in the numismatic collection of the late Colonel E.H.R. Green as set forth in the schedules enclosed.

We would appreciate it if you would acknowledge receipt of these items by signing and returning the copies of the enclosed schedules.

Please address your reply when sending the receipts, to the attention of the undersigned.

Yours very truly,

Encl.
262-vhb
Insured-\$1200.

Alexander A. McKenna
Second Vice President

April 1, 1940.

Chase National Bank,
11 Broad Street,
New York City.

Attention Alexander A. McKenna

Gentlemen:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 28 with the enclosures listed on the schedule attached thereto, which schedule is returned herewith in accordance with your request.

I am very pleased to have acquired this portion of the collection and thank you for your cooperation. I am proud to say that my own Missouri collection far exceeds the Missouri collection of the Chase National Bank.

I wish to call your attention to the fact that from the leather loose leaf books in which some of the items came, I think Vol. 1 of the Missouri State Currency is missing. I received Vols. 1 and 2 of Incurrent Bank Bills of Missouri and Vol. 2 of the Missouri State Currency, and I therefore wondered where Vol. 1 of the latter was. If it could be found conveniently, I would appreciate it if it were sent to me.

I previously asked you to include Missouri token money which Colonel Green might have had in his collection. These tokens were issued by store keepers from about 1830 through the Civil War, and are known as "Hard Time", "Store Cards" and "Civil War" tokens. If the Estate can locate these conveniently, I would certainly appreciate obtaining them.

There is one more item I would appreciate the Estate looking for, namely, paper money of the Mississippi Company, which was issued by John Law in the early Eighteenth Century. Some of this was used in Missouri, and I would like to know if Colonel Green had any of it.

The next time I am in New York, I may plan to get in touch with the Estate so as to purchase some additional items.

Very truly yours,

EPN:JB
Enclosure

most of leather loose leaf books

May 7, 1940.

Messrs. Milbank, Tweed and Hope,
15 Broad Street,
New York City.

Attention Mr. Jacques
Re: Estate of E. P. R. Green

Gentlemen:

A short time ago I purchased through you for \$1200.00 the Missouri items in the numismatic collection of Colonel Green. I was very fortunate to have had the opportunity to obtain these items for my collection and, as I indicated at that time, I intended in a short while to purchase more of the collection.

I am now interested in buying (1) all items from Ohio, including Ohio state bank notes, Ohio script, and United States Government issues from Ohio, and (2) Colonial paper money of New England; that is, paper money issued in New England prior to the formation of the United States Government.

Would you be kind enough to obtain for me, at your convenience, a list of the above mentioned items, in a manner similar to the method we used before.

I sincerely appreciate the cooperation of your office in completing my first transaction and helping my hobby along greatly. Paper money is my sincere interest and while I would be most desirous of buying the entire paper money collection of Colonel Green, my financial means limits me to the selection of only a few parts.

Very truly yours,

EPN:JB

MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
—
CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

May 9, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Sir:

We acknowledge yours of the 7th instant and
are glad to know of your interest in the other items.
We are taking this matter up with the administrators.

Very truly yours,



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MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
—
CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

July 1, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Newman:

I can now give you some detail about the items mentioned in yours of May 7th.

You speak of Ohio State Bank Notes, Ohio Scrip and United States issues from Ohio, as well as Colonial paper from New England. Enclosed is a list including the various items in which we think you may be interested. We also enclose a typewritten copy of the printing on one of the various Colonial Notes so that you may determine whether this is the type of Colonial piece you desire.

After you have checked the list over will you kindly advise whether you wish all or some of the items.

Very truly yours,

George W. Murray

No. 6000

TEN SHILLINGS

THIS Indented Bill shall pass current
for Ten Shillings within the Government of the
Counties of New-Castle, Kent, and Suffex, on
Delaware, according to an Act of Assembly of
the said Government, made in the 32d Year of
the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George II.

Dated the first Day of June, 1759. TEN
SHILLINGS.

LIST OF VARIOUS PAPER MONIES TAKEN FROM COLLECTION
OF ESTATE OF E.H.R. GREEN

Colonial Pieces

136	Delaware, Georgia, Maryland & Mass.
194	North Carolina & Pennsylvania
150	New Hampshire & New Jersey
1288	Various Pieces

1768

Broken Bank Bills

324 Ohio Pieces

U.S. Demand Notes

1 @ \$10	Payable Cincinnati 1861	
2 @ 5	Payable Cincinnati	
1 @ 5	"	Torn and mended
2 @ 10	"	
1 @ 10	"	Torn and mended
1 @ 20	"	

National Bank Notes

Inverted Notes

6 @ \$ 5
7 @ 10
5 @ 20

Government Errors

4 @ \$ 5
2 @ 10
2 @ 20
1 @ 50

Various Banks

25 @ \$ 1 -
8 @ 2 -
64 @ 5
80 @ 10
63 @ 20
4 @ 50
1 @ 100

Federal Reserve Bank Notes - Cleveland

<u>1914</u>	<u>1918</u>	<u>1928</u>	<u>1929</u>
19 @ \$ 5	222 @ \$1	70 @ \$ 5	21 @ \$ 5
31 @ 10	181 @ 2	37 @ 10	16 @ 10
16 @ 20	132 @ 5	32 @ 20	16 @ 20
4 @ 50			
10 @ 100			

National Bank Notes - Full Sheets

Various Banks

21 sheets @ \$ 5	126 bills
1 " @ 10	2 bills
35 " @ 10	210 bills
35 " @ 20	210 bills
1 " @ 50	6 bills

July 9, 1940

Messrs. Milbank, Tweed & Hope,
16 Broad Street,
New York City.

Attention Mr. Jaques

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of July 1, 1940 listing for me certain paper money in Colonel Green's collection.

I am interested in all of the American Colonial paper money and would like for you to determine at what price that might be sold. You need not necessarily obtain a list of them, but I would like to know whether the 1288 notes marked "Various Pieces" are mostly currency issued by the Continental Congress or by the various individual colonies.

I am also interested in purchasing the 324 broken bank bills from Ohio and all of the United States demand notes of Cincinnati, and would like for you to submit their price to me.

Under "National Bank Notes" I would like a more complete description of those designated as "Government Errors".

As to the national bank notes of various banks, I presume that you would not care to sell only the lower denominations, but if you would, please let me know.

Thank you for your continued cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

EPN:JB

MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

September 11, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Newman:

Further referring to yours of July 9, 1940,
we now hand you a list of prices on various bills.

We do not think the Estate would be interested
in selling a portion of what is shown on the enclosed list
but would desire only to sell everything covered in the list.
Also we do not believe that the Estate would care to sell
only the lower denominations and lower numbers of the
Federal Reserve Bank Notes of Cleveland and the National
Bank Notes, full sheets, mentioned in the list sent you
under date of July 1.

When it comes to describing the type of errors
it is really impossible to do this by correspondence and our
suggestion would be that if you are coming to New York in the
near future you might like to look at the paper money in
question.

Very truly yours,

Milbank Tweed & Hope

ESTATE OF E. H. R. GREEN

Prices on following bills for sale to E. P. Newman.

1768	Colonial pieces @ 1.50	\$2652.00
324	Broken Bank Bills @ 1.00	324.00

U. S. Demand Notes

1 @	\$10.00	Payable Cincinnati 1861	75.00
2 @	5.00	" "	90.00
1 @	5.00	" " Torn & Mended	20.00
2 @	10.00	" "	150.00
1 @	10.00	" " " "	40.00
1 @	20.00	" "	500.00

Government Errors

4 @	\$ 5.00	Natl. Bk. Notes	40.00
2 @	10.00	" " "	40.00
2 @	20.00	" " "	80.00
1 @	50.00	" " "	100.00

Inverts

6 @	\$ 5.00	Natl. Bk. Notes	75.00
7 @	10.00	" " "	140.00
5 @	20.00	" " "	200.00

September 21, 1940.

Milbank, Tweed & Hope,
15 Broad Street,
New York, New York.

RE: ESTATE OF I.M.R. GREEN.

Gentlemen:-

Thank you for your letter of September 11, 1940 with reference to certain numismatic items in Colonel Green's collection.

I know that you realize that it is difficult for me to buy items in bulk without knowing what they are in more than a general way. For that reason I do not feel that I should purchase all of the listed items until such time as I come to New York and can see them.

I am desirous of purchasing the eight Cincinnati demand notes for the \$875.00 price you set on them. I realize, as you stated, that the estate may want to sell all of the notes listed rather than just this group, but I believe they might be willing to sell me this group at this time, since I do not wish to burden you with the preparation of a detailed list of the others, and I have no present plans for coming to New York.

In accordance with the procedure you outlined in our last transaction I am enclosing herewith a Cashier's check payable to your order for \$875.00. If this is satisfactory to them you can forward the items to me.

Thank you for your continued courtesies.

Very truly yours,

FPM:EH

MILBANK, TWEED & HOPE
15 BROAD STREET
NEW YORK

GEORGE WELWOOD MURRAY
COUNSEL
CABLE ADDRESS
MILTWEED

September 24, 1940.

Estate of E. H. R. Green

Eric P. Newman, Esq.,
Messrs. Taylor, Chasnoff & Willson,
Boatmen's Bank Building,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

We acknowledge your letter of the 21st instant
and enclosure.

While the estate was not particularly desirous
of selling the Cincinnati demand notes without disposing
of the rest of the material mentioned in the list which
we sent you, it is willing to accept payment of \$875.00
for them, and following our previous procedure we will
see that these are shipped to you.

Very truly yours,

Milbank Tweed & Hope

THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

11 BROAD STREET

No. 21556

NEW YORK, September 26, 1940.

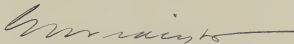
Mr. Eric P. Newman,
6450 Cecil Avenue,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Mr. Newman:

In accordance with the correspondence between you and Milbank Tweed and Hope, we are pleased to enclose the following Cincinnati bills which we as Co-Administrator of the Estate of E. H. R. Green have sold you for the sum of \$875. These 8 notes are identified as follows:

Nos. 11311, 21863 for \$5. each
Nos. 53647, 20034, 32357, 41910 for \$10. each
No. 200447 for \$20.
The final bill which is for \$5. is apparently
No. 4912.

Yours very truly,



George T. Wraight,
Assistant Trust Officer.

Encl.
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PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THE ATTACHED FORM OF RECEIPT.

October 1, 1940.

Mr. George T. Wraight,
Assistant Trust Officer,
Chase National Bank,
11 Broad Street,
New York City, New York.

Re: Estate of E. H. R. Green.

Dear Sir:-

In accordance with your request, I am enclosing herewith my receipt for the eight Cincinnati Demand Notes which I purchased for the sum of \$875.00. The \$20.00 bill, Number 20447, for which I paid \$500.00, had a piece on its right end torn out and mended. I was not informed of this situation in previous correspondence with your attorneys and was somewhat disappointed in not getting a complete item. However, because of the excessive rarity of that demand note I am glad to have it in any condition.

I sincerely appreciate my opportunity to purchase some of the fine items in Col. Green's collection and will communicate with your attorneys in connection with other items which the collection may have for sale and which I am desirous of acquiring.

Thank you for your cooperation in these matters.

Very truly yours,

EPN:VC